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DEPARTMENT OF WAR,
December 20, 1820.

SIR: I have to request that you will submit to the House of Representatives the enclosed, as a substitute for so much of table A, which accompanied my report of the 12th instant, as relates to the details of organization.

In putting up the report, the original draught was taken in lieu of the one herewith enclosed.

I have the honor to be,

With great respect,

Your obedient servant,

J. C. CALHOUN.

To the **SPEAKER** of the
House of Representatives.

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THE HONORABLE
MEMBER OF PARLIAMENT

I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 11th inst. in relation to the bill for the relief of the poor, and in reply to inform you that the same has been forwarded to the proper authorities for their consideration.

I have the honor to be,

With great respect,

Your obedient servant,

J. C. CALHOUN.

Secretary of the
Board of Commissioners

Organization of the Army as proposed under the Resolution of the House of Representatives of May 11, 1820.

GENERAL STAFF.

- 2 Major generals.
 - 4 Aids de camp—subalterns of the line.
 - 4 Brigadier generals.
 - 4 Aids de camp—subalterns of the line.
 - 1 Judge advocate.
 - 6 Topographical engineers.
 - 4 Assistant topographical engineers.
 - 1 Adjutant and inspector general.
 - 2 Adjutants general.
 - 4 Assistant adjutants general.
 - 2 Inspectors general.
 - 4 Assistant inspectors general.
- } All except three are officers
} of the line, and it is contemplated
} to have them all of the line
} as vacancies occur.

Quartermaster's Department.

- 1 Quartermaster general.
- 2 Deputy quartermasters general.
- 16 Assistant deputy quartermasters general. Eight of these are officers of the line, and it is contemplated to have them all of the line as vacancies occur.

Paymaster Department.

- 1 Paymaster general.
- 19 Paymasters.

Purchasing Department.

- 1 Commissary general.
- 1 Assistant commissary general.
- 2 Storekeepers.

Subsistence Department.

- 1 Commissary general, with as many assistant commissaries as the service may require—all subalterns of the line.

Medical Department.

- 1 Surgeon general.
- 2 Assistant surgeons general.
- 1 Apothecary general.
- 2 Assistant Apothecaries.
- 25 Surgeons.
- 44 Assistant surgeons.

Engineer Corps.

- 1 Colonel.
- 1 Assistant engineer.
- 1 Lieutenant colonel.
- 2 Majors.
- 6 Captains.
- 6 Lieutenants.
- 6 Second lieutenants.

Military Academy.

- 12 Professors and masters.
- 250 Cadets.
- 1 Adjutant—subaltern.

ARTILLERY.

- 1 Colonel commandant.
 - 1 Colonel of ordnance.
 - 1 Lieutenant colonel of ordnance.
 - 2 Majors of ordnance.
 - 5 Lieutenant colonels of battalions.
 - 5 Majors do
 - 7 Captains of ordnance.
 - 5 Do of light artillery.
 - 40 Do of artillery.
 - 10 Lieutenants of light artillery.
 - 80 Do of artillery.
 - 10 Second lieutenants of light artillery.
 - 80 Second lieutenants of artillery.
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- 247 Officers.
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- 15 Sergeants of light artillery.
 - 120 Do of artillery.
 - 30 Corporals of light artillery.
 - 240 Do of artillery.
 - 5 Do of the train.
 - 5 Armorers.

5	Smiths, (light artillery.)
5	Trumpets, (light artillery.)
40	Drummers.
90	Gunners, (light artillery.)
720	Do artillery.
180	Matross, light artillery.
1,440	Do artillery.
10	Workmen.
45	Soldiers of the train, light artillery.

2,950	Total.
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INFANTRY.

9	Colonels.
9	Lieutenant colonels.
9	Majors.
90	Captains.
90	First lieutenants.
90	Second lieutenants.

297	Officers.
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360	Sergeants.
360	Corporals.
9	Armorers.
9	Drum majors.
90	Drummers.
2,520	Privates.
18	Workmen.

3,366	Total.
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75	Artificers, workmen of ordnance.
6,391	Rank and file.

NOTE.—To each regiment and battalion a subaltern will be assigned as adjutant, and one as quartermaster, and in all cases where officers of the line are assigned to the staff, their pay in the line is merged in that of the staff, which is, in fact, but an additional allowance for the extra expense attending such situations.

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